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September 04, 1985

Illinois Department of Public Health Mr. Roger Rudin 4302 North Main Rockford, IL 61105

Dear Roger,

Enclosed please find a letter with sample results from the private well of Notresponsive, Rock Falls, which was taken by the Attorney General's office.

As we discussed in your office today (September 04) it appears from Mr. Risse's letter that the source(s) of any well contamination could be many and varied. One possible contributor to any groundwater degradation in the area is the Roxite Corporation. It presently is on the IEPA/ERRIS list and it will be investigated by a USEPA contractor, E & E Engineering. Since no other investigatory action is imminent until the initial work is accomplished by E & E, I am forwarding this information and request by Mr. Risse to you for your consideration because the Illinois Department of Public Health has sampling jurisdiction for private drinking water wells.

If I can be of any further assistance in this matter, please don't hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Wengrow

Manager - Region 1 Field Operations Division of Land Pollution Control

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